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GRAND COMMANDER MAKES FIRST VISIT TO VALLEY

Valley Echo Commandery of Charleroi Entertains

ANOTHER VISIT PLANNED

Monessen Will be Place of Second Affair of Kind in December

For the first time since he has been elected to a high office in the Knights of Malta order Grand Commander Jasper T. Sembower, of Uniontown paid a visit to the Monongahela valley, last night, when he was the guest of the Charleroi lodge. Last evening was the time of the regular meeting of Valley Echo Commandery No. 399 of Charleroi, and besides the visit of Grand Commander Sembower, the Valley Degree Federation, composed of lodges of Monessen, Donora, Monongahela, Belle Vernon and Fayette City, and Charleroi, was well represented by members from each order. There were in all eleven orders represented at the meeting, the six named above, McKeesport, Elizabeth, Bentleyville, Uniontown and Kittanning, making in all probability 75 visitors.

Several addresses were made, but the principal one was by Grand Commander Sembower, who spoke along the line of the work being done by the order. He told of the plans for the erection of the Malta Home and Hospital in Mifflin county, he being the secretary of the governors' board of directors.

Following the session in the lodge room in the Charleroi Savings and Trust building, the company went to the Saxon restaurant, where they partook of refreshments.

Mr. Sembower, was a former contractor in Uniontown, but upon his election to the high office, gave up this work to devote his time exclusively to the order. He is much wrapped up in the work, and in all the visits that he makes pays his own expenses. He expects to make a visit to the Monessen order in December.

It was thought that other grand officers would be present besides Mr. Sembower, but in this the members of the local lodge was disappointed. Deputy Grand Commander C. H. Truxal of Belle Vernon, was among the visitors however.

BROTHERHOOD HOLDS AN OPEN MEETING

Rev. O. M. Wilson, of Pittsburg, Speaks at W. A. Church

The Brotherhood of the Washington Avenue Church held an open meeting last night at the church at which time Rev. O. M. Wilson of Pittsburg spoke. Dr. Wilson was listened to with great interest by the large number who were present. A social session followed and light refreshments were served. The male quartet of the church entertained with selections.

Those who have an appetite for chicken and biscuit and pumpkin pie can have that appetite satisfied at the supper to be served at the Washington Avenue Presbyterian church tomorrow evening from 4:30 to 9 p. m. The supper is served by the Woman's Auxiliary of the Boys' Brigade of the Washington Avenue Presbyterian Sunday school.

Six-Year-Old Meets a Terrible Death

Fall Headlong Into Post Hole and Drowns in Water at Bottom

Jesse King, the six-year-old son of J. B. King of Marianna, was found dead yesterday afternoon at about 3 o'clock, his feet protruding from a post hole and his head immersed in 11 inches of water. The boy had been playing about the yard, where there were several post holes, and it is supposed that he had attempted to reach something in the hole, when he toppled and went in headlong. Unable to extricate himself he drowned.

"TAG DAY" TO BE OBSERVED

Ladies Auxiliary Arrange Affair to Raise Funds for Hospital

A special feature in connection with the observance of Halloween here on Monday will be the continuation of "Tag Day" to be held for two days by the Charleroi Ladies Auxiliary of the Monessen-Charleroi Hospital. Saturday will be the opening of "Tag Day," with Monday as the closing day.

Plans are being arranged by the ways and means committee of the auxiliary to make the affair a huge success. It is planned to have girls and the members of the auxiliary sell tags, at whatever price they can secure. The hospital gets the proceeds, after all expenses are paid.

The headquarters will be at Kirk and Clark's store, where a booth will be maintained. Several business places of town have promised to lend all possible aid, and "Berrymans" department store will give 10 per cent. of the day's cash sales on Saturday as "tag" money.

"Tag Day" has been tried in other cities with good results and the Charleroi ladies considered it the best plan for the raising of much needed money.

Document on Game Laws.

The Department of Agriculture has just issued a little document on the game laws in the United States and in it is contained the latest laws of Pennsylvania, all of which is interesting to sportsmen. It also dwells on the subject of seasons, shipments, sale, limits and licenses. Copies may be obtained by dropping a postal or letter to Hon. J. K. Tener, Charleroi, Pa., or any other member of Congress.

Measures Township Roads.

Demas Wonsettler, of Scenery Hill, has finished measuring the roads of West Bethlehem township, making 120 miles in all. The work was done with a horse and a buggy, a bicycle wheel and a cyclometer being attached to the vehicle.

Wants Game Saturday.

The Paul Jones A. C. of Washington would like to arrange a game for the coming Saturday at Washington with the Charleroi team. Address Taul Jones, manager, Washington Pa. Bell Phone 207-J.

VALUABLE PRIZES IN GOLD WILL BE AWARDED TO THE BEST DRESSED

Parade Will be Over the Principal Streets, to End Up at Corner of Fifth Street and McKean Avenue

COMPETENT JUDGES WILL DECIDE ON BEST COSTUMES

Valuable prizes in money will be awarded for the most fancy dressed and the most comic dressed persons who take part in the parade next Monday at the Halloween celebration. It is hoped that there will be a large number take part in the parade, which will be led by a large musical organization, probably the John A. Wood band. The reviewing stand will be near the Pennsylvania Railroad station. The judges to decide the best costumes will be John Jenkins, Roland Brown and John W. Mathias.

The prizes will be awarded as follows: \$5.00 in gold for lady wearing best fancy costume; \$5.00 in gold for man wearing best fancy costume; \$5.00 in gold for lady wearing most comic costume; \$5.00 in gold for man wearing most comic costume. Prizes for boys and girls under 15 years; \$2.50 for boy wearing best fancy costume; \$2.50 for girl wearing best fancy costume; \$2.50 for boy wearing most comic costume; \$2.50 for girl wearing most comic costume.

The parade will be formed at the corner of Third street and McKean avenue at 8 o'clock, and the route will be from Third street down McKean to Seventh street; thence on Seventh street to Washington avenue; thence on Washington avenue to Third street; thence down Third street to Fallowfield avenue; thence down Fallowfield avenue to Seventh street; thence down Seventh street to McKean; thence up McKean avenue to reviewing stand near the railroad station.

SECURING LIST OF LEGALIZED VOTERS

Pittsburgher was Going to Inspection Car Passes Through Charleroi This Morning

Evidently stirred up by the contention over Charleroi's alleged phantom votes, and wishing to set matters aright, Frank Monroe came from Pittsburgh yesterday, secured a roll book and started out to secure the proper registration. He had gone over a good part of Fallowfield avenue, and incidentally got somewhat tanked with furr juice when the police got onto the racket and hauled him in. He explained that he had been sent out by the Washington crowd to ascertain the number of legalized voters, and was only pursuing his work when arrested. He was assessed the nominal fine of \$1.00 and costs imposed upon drunks.

AUTOMOBILE TASTE; WHEELBARROW INCOME

Foreigner Said He Had Purchased Machine and Someone Had Borrowed It

John Ondio a Slav living at Roscoe, came to town yesterday afternoon ostensibly to get drunk. He said that he couldn't get any in Roscoe. Having been a coal miner in the morning he had risen above such pursuits and had an automobile taste. He did not get drunk, but seeing an automobile of the Charleroi Automobile company standing on the street while the driver, C. S. Van Voorhis, was in a business place climbed in and was trying to start the affair. When Mr. Van Voorhis came out of the store the Slav skidded. He announced, however, in doing so that he had purchased a car that morning for \$1,000 and that looked powerful like his. Soon a machine came along from Monongahela, a little larger affair, and the passenger got out at a store on Fifth street. The Slav took possession, and calmly announced that this was his auto—the one he had paid that \$1,000 for. He was ousted, but persisted in climbing back when he was taken in tow by Officer McEldowney. He was later in the evening taken back to Roscoe where his wife had made information against him on a charge of surety of the peace. He will in all probability be sent to Dixmont. During the morning while at work, he assumed charge of Vesta No. 2 and No. 3 mines, and it is said started to order the head men around.

Dubnanski.

Nicholas Dubnanski, 44 years old, died Monday evening at 9 o'clock at his home, 803 Washington avenue. The funeral was held this afternoon from the Greek Catholic church at 2 o'clock. Interment was in Calvary cemetery. The deceased was one of the best known foreigners in town.

Grows in Interest.

The night school of the Y. M. C. A. at Monongahela grows in interest. Nineteen men and boys are enrolled in the common branches and the singing class contains 18 members.

SCHOOL AUTHORITIES WILL GRANT LABOR CERTIFICATES

Want to be Married by Church Service

Civil Ceremony Not Enough—Bride is But Seventeen Years Old

Martin O'Hare and Alice McManus O'Hare, a Donora couple yesterday made application through Justice Roman E. Kohler for a license to wed the second time. The following explanatory note was attached to the application:

"They have been married before to each other, but desire to remarry, according to the rites of the Catholic church, their former marriage having been a civil one." O'Hare is 24 years of age and his occupation is given as electrician. His wife is only 17 years of age and the consent of her father, Bartley McManus, accompanied the application.

DRUM WILL PAY \$40,000

It Will Take This Amount for Him to Settle With Coal Center Bank

C. H. Drum, formerly cashier of the bank of Coal Centre, who was convicted of conspiracy to defraud the bank, and sentenced to a term in the penitentiary, has through his attorney, A. M. Linn, come to settlement with the stockholders of the bank. He has agreed to pay the stockholders \$40,000 and also defray the costs of the case.

Though a settlement has been reached between the stockholders and Drum, yet that does not dispose of the sentence imposed upon Drum. It will now be necessary to petition the court to have the sentence lifted and set entered.

R. W. Irwin, counsel for Frederick Ward, who was indicted jointly with Drum and convicted of conspiracy to defraud, has filed a motion with the Superior Court for a continuance of the Ward appeal until next December.

No proposition of settlement has yet been made by Ward to the stockholders of the bank of Coal Centre. Counsel for Ward hope though, that some settlement may be reached and their client not be required to serve out his sentence.

Contrary to the wording of the proclamation of Burgess Risbeck concerning the observance of Halloween, children and even older people have been soaping, chalking and generally marking up door steps and windows throughout town. Several of the business places this morning showed the effects of this sort of sport and there were several complaints. There was considerable corn thrown around last night and the previous night.

Automobilists have complained somewhat of children on some of the streets in town throwing gravel, and small stones at them as they pass. Last night children threw some gravel at a car running along Washington avenue in which there were four passengers, particles striking the inmates of the car. One small stone struck a lady near the eye and had it been turned half an inch from its course would doubtless have caused a serious injury.

Birthday Gifts

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Oct. 21 in American History

1682—William Penn, founder of Pennsylvania, landed at Newcastle, on the Delaware.

1837—Whitlaw Reid, writer, editor and diplomat, born near Xenia, O.

1864—Confederate ram Albemarle destroyed in Roanoke river by Lieutenant Cushing's torpedo.

1904—The New York subway electric road opened to the public.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 4:53, rises 6:22; moon sets 5:48 a. m.; 11:36 p. m., moon at perigee, nearest earth, distant 222,300 miles; 2 a. m., planet Mercury at greatest western elongation or apparent distance from the sun, 18 degrees and 33 minutes; visible for a few days, low in east before sunrise; 2:40 p. m., moon in conjunction with Saturn, passing from west to east of the planet, 1 1/4 degrees south thereof; seen near to night.

A Good Man to Defeat.

"It will come to the knowledge of the public with something akin to a shock that Cryus LaRue Munson, Democratic nominee for Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania, is actually making a tour of the State in search of votes," says the Pittsburgh Gazette Times. "Mr. Munson is represented by the leading Democratic newspaper of the Commonwealth as finding a very hopeful feeling among Democrats everywhere. This feeling is predicted upon the fact (?) that the farmers in three-fourths of the State are in distress over the failure of their crops and listen with impatience to the arguments of Republicans.

"Mr. Munson ought to know very well that it is not good form for a candidate for judiciary honor to make an active campaign like aspirants for other public positions do. That kind of thing may be tolerated in some counties where the issue is local and the contest close and bitter, but it is never admirable and certainly is not to be countenanced on the part of one who asks to be elevated to the highest court in the State. As if indulging this questionable form of campaigning were not bad enough however, what shall be thought of a would be Supreme Judge who permits such a reflection upon the intelligence of the farmers as quoted above? Mr. Munson should be admonished by his friends and newspaper supporters to display better judgement. It is preposterous to suppose that any farmers would charge the prolonged dry season of this year and consequent shortage in crops to the Republican party, and it is silly to assume that men of brains and common sense would make such an ill-fated basis for shifting party allegiance and electing a Democrat to the Supreme Bench in a State as largely Republican as Pennsylvania is.

"In all the history of State politics we have never observed anything so utterly foolish and futile as this effort to attract attention to Mr. Munson's peculiar claims to distinction."

Turn Out and Vote.

Every voter should make it a matter of civic pride to turn out next

Tuesday and cast his ballot at the election for the candidates of his choice. No privilege is more glorious to an American citizen than the electorate franchise, and few of the liberties for which there has been so much bloodshed to attain are less appreciated. The fight for political liberty that has deluged the world with blood and is still in progress in the monarchial countries was futile so far as accomplishing results is concerned to a large proportion of this country.

All the evils of society, the political corruption, the growth and development of the monopolistic trusts, the gift of public franchises the industrial oppression that exists anywhere is due to the indifference of the people and because the latter did not think enough of their electorate franchise to exercise it in the interests of themselves, their families and their neighbors. By staying away from elections they permitted the interested ones to nominate and elect the officials who would grant them the franchises and privileges they desired, and to make the laws that perpetuate and protect them at the expense of the people. High prices, greater cost of living, increase in the rate of gas—all are due to the civic indifference of the people. We sowed the wind by this indifference and must now reap the whirlwind.

Charleroi has 1,500 registered voters, yet less than half of these cast their ballots on an average unless they are solicited personally to go to the polls. What is true here is true everywhere, and the minority instead of the majority rules. Half of the voters of Char-

leroi voluntarily disfranchise themselves and many of them complain because a minority governs. There is but one way to remedy this and that is to vote. The prayers of the righteous may avail much, but it is the result of ballots that levy the taxes, fixes the price, and spends the money.

Everybody Help.

The Halloween celebration for Charleroi next Monday night is now an established fact. The committee appointed to promote it is now busily engaged in arranging details and soliciting funds, and is meeting with encouragement on every side. All that is necessary now is for everybody to help and enter into the spirit of the occasion. By every one co-operating the celebration will mark a red letter occasion for Charleroi.

No town is so admirably equipped to draw crowds from outside communities as Charleroi. The populous community up the river tributary to the street car lines will flock to Charleroi when inducements offer, and special efforts should be made to attract them here Monday night. In addition to a big program of carnival and amusement the merchants should have some special bargains to offer. By making this celebration a marked success, Halloween in Charleroi will become as famous along the river as New Year's Day in Monongahela.

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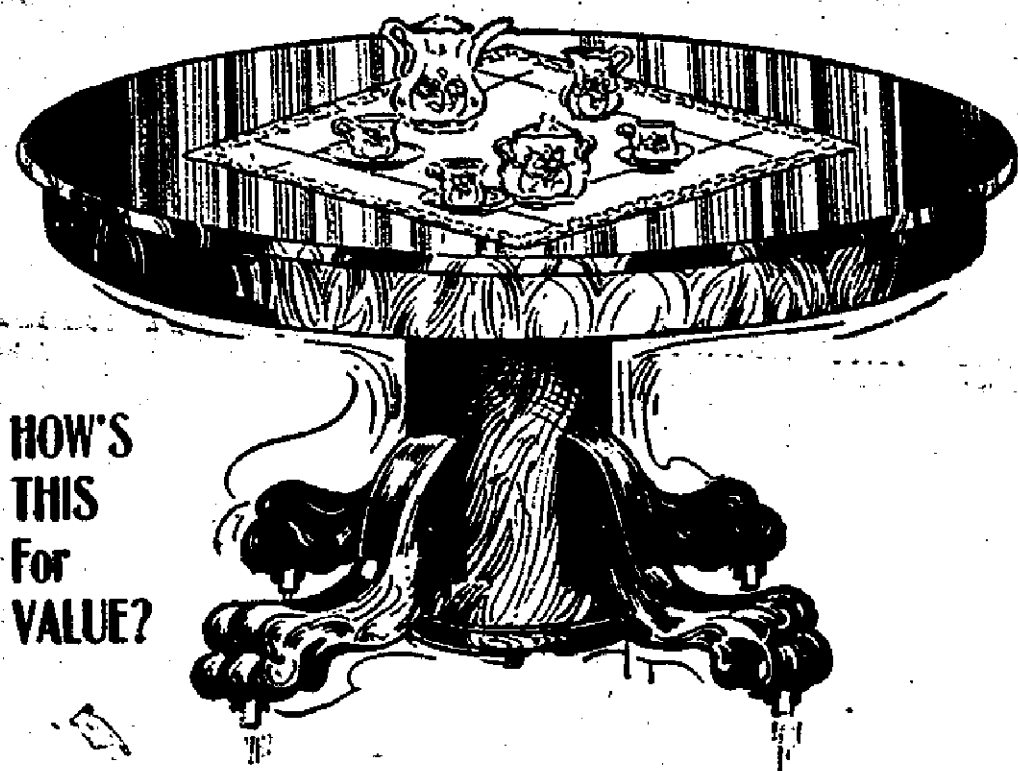
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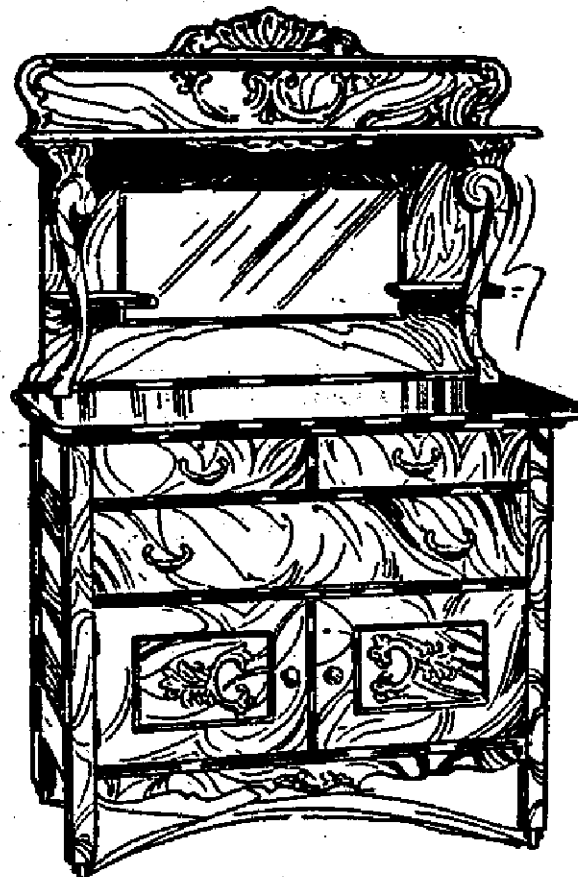


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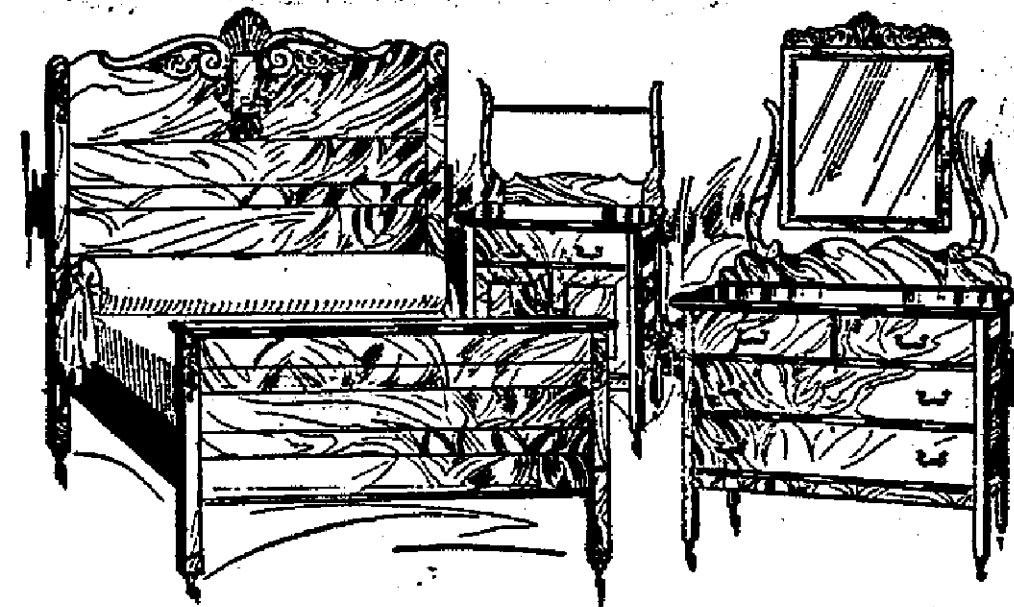
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If people would only fortify and strengthen the system the majority of cases of coughs, colds and pneumonia might be avoided. These troubles are frequently due to weakness, which produce a catarrhal condition of the mucous membrane, which is an internal skin of the body. When this skin is weakened it becomes easily infected with germs which cause many of the diseases to which flesh is heir. Healthy mucous membranes are essential safeguard of the body's general health.

An excellent aid in the prevention of coughs, colds, pneumonia, and such like infectious diseases is a remedy that will prevent or cure catarrh.

We have a remedy which we honestly believe to be unsurpassed in excellence for the prevention of coughs, colds and all catarrhal conditions. It is the prescription of a famous physician who has an enviable reputation of thirty years of cures gained through the use of this formula. We promise to make no charge for the medicine should it fail to do as we claim. We urge everybody who has need of such a medicine to try Rexall Muc-Tone.

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Accepted Call at Bentleyville.

Rev. J. E. Miller, pastor of the Mt. Prospect Presbyterian church at Hickory, has accepted a call from the Bentleyville Presbyterian church.

"The Merry Clobber."

A comedy drama in four acts in Charleroi Turner Hall, Friday evening, October 29, 1909 by the M. T. V. Dramatic section of Monongahela. Tickets twenty-five cents. Doors open at 7:30 performance at 8:15. Tickets on sale at Piper's Drug Store. 5716

Does Your Comb Look Like This?



Use **WOODBURY'S** Hair Tonic immediately when your hair begins to fall. No other hair preparation is the result of the same unlimited experience treating diseases of the Hair and Scalp. No other is made from the formula of a dermatologist.

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LOCAL NOTES

Brief Mention of People and Events in this Community.

Christopher Brown, superintendent of the Carara department of the Pittsburgh Plate Glass factory, returned last evening from a business trip to Chicago.

R. G. Miller, Esq., chairman of the Republican county committee, was in town over night. Mr. Miller has been looking over the situation along the river and last night met a number of prominent Republicans at the Wilbur. The situation is encouraging, if the voters turn out anything like their old time force.

Attorney A. T. Morgan of Pittsburgh was a business visitor in Charleroi this morning.

L. Collins is transacting business in Pittsburgh today.

W. C. Clark is in Pittsburgh today transacting business.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Dressler of Beaver Falls has returned home after a visit with friends to Charleroi.

V. E. Reeves, George Dawson and Rev. G. G. Kerr went to Waynesburg today in the former's Buick automobile on a business trip.

J. D. Berryman is in Pittsburgh today transacting business.

Misses Lydia and Mabel Barr, who during the summer were guests of their sister, Mrs. Ira L. Nickerson left this morning for their home in Abilene, Illinois.

Audley McFarland of Washington was here yesterday on business. He is working up a newspaper directory of the county.

Frank Jenkins and Miss Lorraine Holyfield were in Pittsburgh yesterday afternoon to attend the vaudeville performance at the Grand theatre.

Robert Beaver, the superintendent of the First Presbyterian Sunday School, has gone to Beaver, where he has accepted a Government position in the postoffice. Mr. Beaver left on Saturday and the family on Monday. He was well known here as a church worker and besides being superintendent of the Sunday school was also an elder in the church.

The annual rummage sale by the ladies of the First Presbyterian church will begin tomorrow and will continue for three days. It will be held in the Flickinger building at 621 McKean avenue.

All boys between 4 feet 6 inches and 5 feet 11 inches in height wishing to join the new boy's brigade are requested to meet at Vetter's tailor shop on McKean avenue at 7:30 p. m. Friday night. 6011

State Police Busy.

The members of the State constabulary who are patrolling from the borough line of Washington to Meadowlands gathered in five drunks from Saturday night to Monday morning. Those who had money paid fines and the others served time in jail.

Notice.

I beg to notify my patrons that I have removed from 911 Shady avenue to 17 Oakland avenue and I am prepared to promptly fill all orders received for coal. Both 'phones, W. B. Tait. 6013

Will Dedicate Sunday.

The new Roman Catholic church at Point Marion is to be dedicated Sunday and a great gathering of Catholics is expected to witness the ceremonies.

Classified Ads

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Four roomed house and two lots. City and cistern water. On Highland avenue. Inquire Roy Dick, North Charleroi, Charleroi 'phone, 231-Y. 5813

FOR SALE—Bargain in a 200 Chicken capacity Bone Cutter. Inquire at 509 Crest avenue or 2300 Mail office. 5814

FOR SALE—Good horse, buggy and harness for sale cheap if sold at once. Inquire 284 Mail office. 5819

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms to rent, for one or two men. All conveniences. Apply 819 Mail office. 5814

WANTED

WANTED—Girl for general housework, 406 Lookout avenue. 6011

WANTED—Two light housekeeping rooms. Write or mail 285 Mail office. 6012

WANTED—Every person to know where to go for a fine cup of coffee and a perfect made sandwich. White House Cafe, 523 Fallowfield avenue.

WANTED—Two nice front rooms, unfurnished. Inquire 600 McKean avenue. 5912

WANTED—Stable. Inquire 600 McKean avenue. 5912

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THIS WEEK, Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday

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We have two things we want to tell you about in one breath. The first is our \$3.50 Men's Shoes and the second is our \$3.50 Women's Shoes.

If we dwell too long on one, we'll neglect the other, and both have equal merit.

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Come, see these great \$3.50 Shoes.

TAG DAY

Next SATURDAY, OCTOBER 30th, is to be Tag Day. A day when the people of the Monongahela valley will have an opportunity to give something to the support of the Charleroi-Monessen Hospital, and we are making ready to have a special sale for that day—one which will be an inducement for you to come to our store.

Louis Beigel
FOR GOOD SHOES
419 McKean Ave.

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CHARLEROI, WASHINGTON CO., PA., WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 27, 1909.

One Cent

GRAND COMMANDER MAKES FIRST VISIT TO VALLEY

Valley Echo Commandery of Charleroi Entertains

ANOTHER VISIT PLANNED

Monessen Will be Place of Second Affair of Kind in December

For the first time since he has been elected to a high office in the Knights of Malta order Grand Commander Jasper T. Sembower, of Uniontown paid a visit to the Monongahela valley, last night, when he was the guest of the Charleroi lodge. Last evening was the time of the regular meeting of Valley Echo Commandery No. 339 of Charleroi, and besides the visit of Grand Commander Sembower, the Valley Degree Federation, composed of lodges of Monessen, Donora, Monongahela, Belle Vernon and Fayette City, and Charleroi, was well represented by members from each order. There were in all eleven orders represented at the meeting, the six named above, McKeesport, Elizabeth, Bentleyville, Uniontown and Kittanning, making in all probably 75 visitors.

Several addresses were made, but the principal one was by Grand Commander Sembower, who spoke along the line of the work being done by the order. He told of the plans for the erection of the Malta Home and Hospital in Mifflin county, he being the secretary of the governors, board of directors.

Following the session in the lodge rooms in the Charleroi Savings and Trust building, the company went to the Saxon restaurant, where they partook of refreshments.

Mr. Sembower, was a former contractor in Uniontown, but upon his election to the high office, gave up this work to devote his time exclusively to the order. He is much wrapped up in the work, and in all the visits that he makes pays his own expenses. He expects to make a visit to the Monessen order in December.

It was thought that other grand officers would be present besides Mr. Sembower, but in this the members of the local lodge was disappointed. Deputy Grand Commander C. H. Truxal of Belle Vernon, was among the visitors however.

BROTHERHOOD HOLDS AN OPEN MEETING

Rev. O. M. Wilson, of Pittsburg, Speaks at W. A. Church

The Brotherhood of the Washington Avenue Church held an open meeting last night at the church at which time Rev. O. M. Wilson of Pittsburg spoke. Dr. Wilson was listened to with great interest by the large number who were present. A social session followed and light refreshments were served. The male quartet of the church entertained with selections.

Those who have an appetite for chicken and biscuit and pumpkin pie can have that appetite satisfied at the supper to be served at the Washington Avenue Presbyterian church tomorrow evening from 4:30 to 9 p. m. The supper is served by the Woman's Auxiliary of the Boys' Brigade of the Washington Avenue Presbyterian Sunday school.

Six-Year-Old Meets a Terrible Death

Fell Headlong into Post Hole and Drowns in Water at Bottom

Jesse King, the six-year-old son of J. B. King of Marianna, was found dead yesterday afternoon at about 3 o'clock, his feet protruding from a post hole and his head immersed in 11 inches of water. The boy had been playing about the yard, where there were several post holes, and it is supposed that he had attempted to reach something in the hole, when he toppled and went in headlong. Unable to extricate himself he drowned.

"TAGDAY" TO BE OBSERVED

Ladies Auxiliary Arrange Affair to Raise Funds for Hospital

A special feature in connection with the observance of Halloween here on Monday will be the contribution of "Tag Day" to be held for two days by the Charleroi Ladies Auxiliary of the Monessen-Charleroi Hospital. Saturday will be the opening of "Tag Day," with Monday as the closing day.

Plans are being arranged by the ways and means committee of the auxiliary to make the affair a huge success. It is planned to have girls and the members of the auxiliary sell tags, at whatever price they can secure. The hospital gets the proceeds, after all expenses are paid.

The headquarters will be at Kirk and Clark's store, where a booth will be maintained. Several business places of town have promised to lend all possible aid, and Berrigan's department store will give 10 per cent. of the day's cash sales on Saturday as "tag" money.

"Tag Day" has been tried in other cities with good results and the Charleroi ladies considered it the best plan for the raising of much needed money.

Document on Game Laws.

The Department of Agriculture has just issued a little document on the game laws in the United States and in it is contained the latest laws of Pennsylvania, all of which is interesting to sportsmen. It also dwells on the subject of seasons, shipments, sale, limits and licenses. Copies may be obtained by dropping a postal or letter to Hon. J. K. Tener, Charleroi, Pa., or any other member of Congress.

Measures Township Roads.

Demas Wonsettler, of Scenery Hill, has finished measuring the roads of West Bethlehem township, making 120 miles in all. The work was done with a horse and a buggy, a bicycle wheel and a cyclometer being attached to the vehicle.

Wants Game Saturday.

The Paul Jones A. C. of Washington would like to arrange a game for the coming Saturday at Washington with the Charleroi team. Address: Paul Jones, manager, Washington Pa. Bell Phone 207-J.

VALUABLE PRIZES IN GOLD WILL BE AWARDED TO THE BEST DRESSED

Parade Will be Over the Principal Streets, to End Up at Corner of Fifth Street and McKean Avenue

COMPETENT JUDGES WILL DECIDE ON BEST COSTUMES

Valuable prizes in money will be awarded for the most fancy dressed and the most comic dressed persons Monday at the Halloween celebration. It is hoped that there will be a large number take part in the parade, which will be led by a large musical organization, probably the John A. Wood band. The reviewing stand will be near the Pennsylvania Railroad station. The judges to decide the best costumes will be John Jenkins, Roland Brown and John W. Mathias.

The prizes will be awarded as follows: \$5.00 in gold for lady wearing best fancy costume; \$5.00 in gold for man wearing best fancy costume; \$5.00 in gold for lady wearing most comic costume; \$5.00 in gold for man wearing most comic costume. Prizes for boys and girls under 15 years; \$2.50 for boy wearing best fancy costume; \$2.50 for girl wearing best fancy costume; \$2.50 for boy wearing most comic costume; \$2.50 for girl wearing most comic costume.

SECURING LIST OF LEGALIZED VOTERS

Pittsburgher was Going to Learn About These Phantoms

Evidently stirred up by the contention over Charleroi's alleged phantom votes, and wishing to set matters aright, Frank Monroe came from Pittsburgh yesterday, secured a roll book and started out to secure the proper registration. He had gone over a good part of "Fallowfield avenue," and incidentally got somewhat tanked with fuzz juice when the police got onto the racket and hauled him in. He explained that he had been sent out by the Washington crowd to ascertain the number of legalized voters, and was only pursuing his work when arrested. He was assessed the nominal fine of \$1.00 and costs imposed upon drunks.

AUTOMOBILE TASTE; WHEELBARROW INCOME

Foreigner Said He Had Purchased Machine and Someone Had Borrowed It

John Ondio a Slav living at Roscoe, came to town yesterday afternoon ostensibly to get drunk. He said that he couldn't get any in Roscoe. Having been a coal miner in the morning he had risen above such pursuits and had an automobile taste. He did not get drunk, but seeing an automobile of the Charleroi Automobile company standing on the street while the driver, C. S. Van Voorhis, was in a business place climbed in and was trying to start the affair. When Mr. Van Voorhis came out of the store the Slav skidded. He announced, however, in doing so that he had purchased a car that morning for \$1,000 and that looked powerful like his. Soon a machine came along from Monongahela, a little larger affair, and the passenger got out at a store on Fifth street. The Slav took possession, and calmly announced that this was his auto—the one he had paid that \$1,000 for. He was ousted, but persisted in climbing back when he was taken in tow by Officer McElowney. He was later in the evening taken back to Roscoe where his wife had made information against him on a charge of surety of the peace. He will in all probability be sent to Dixmont. During the morning while at work, he assumed charge of Veets No. 2 and No. 3 mines, and it is said started to order the head men around.

Dubnanski.

Nicholas Dubnanski, 44 years old, died Monday evening at 9 o'clock at his home, 803 Washington avenue. The funeral was held this afternoon from the Greek Catholic church at 2 o'clock. Interment was in Calvary cemetery. The deceased was one of the best known foreigners in town.

Grows in Interest.

The night school of the Y. M. C. A. at Monongahela grows in interest. Nineteen men and boys are enrolled in the common branches and the singing class contains 12 members.

SCHOOL AUTHORITIES WILL GRANT LABOR CERTIFICATES

Want to be Married by Church Service

Civil Ceremony Not Enough—Bride is But Seventeen Years Old

Martin O'Hare and Alice McManus, a Donora couple yesterday made application through Justice Roman E. Kohler for a license to wed the second time. The following explanatory note was attached to the application:

"They have been married before to each other, but desire to remarry, according to the rites of the Catholic church, their former marriage having been a civil one." O'Hare is 24 years of age and his occupation is given as electrician. His wife is only 17 years of age and the consent of her father, Bartley McManus, accompanied the application.

DRUM WILL PAY \$40,000

It Will Take This Amount for Him to Settle With Coal Center Bank

C. H. Drum, formerly cashier of the bank of Coal Centre, who was convicted of conspiracy to defraud the bank, and sentenced to a term in the penitentiary, has through his attorney, A. M. Linn, come to a settlement with the stockholders of the bank. Drum has agreed to pay the stockholders \$40,000 and also defray the costs of the case.

Though a settlement has been reached between the stockholders and Drum, yet that does not dispose of the sentence imposed upon Drum. It will now be necessary to petition the court to have the sentence lifted and set entered.

R. W. Irwin, counsel for Frederick Ward, who was indicted jointly with Drum and convicted of conspiracy to defraud, has filed a motion with the Superior Court for a continuance of the Ward appeal until next December. No proposition of settlement has yet been made by Ward to the stockholders of the bank of Coal Centre. Counsel for Ward hope though, that some settlement may be reached and their client not be required to serve out his sentence.

Contrary to the wording of the proclamation of Burgess Risbeck concerning the observance of Halloween, children and even older people have been soaping, chalking and generally marking up door steps and windows throughout town. Several of the business places this morning showed the effects of this sort of sport and there were several complaints. There was considerable corn thrown around last night and the previous night.

Automobilists have complained somewhat of children on some of the streets in town throwing gravel, and small stones at them as they pass. Last night children threw some gravel at a car running along Washington avenue in which there were four passengers, particles striking the inmates of the car. One small stone struck a lady near the eye and had it been turned half an inch from its course would doubtless have caused a serious injury.

Dispute May Follow.

Since the order for tearing down the old bridge at Monongahela has been given a dispute has arisen as to who owns the property occupied by the approaches. Some contend that they belong to the respective counties, while others claim they should revert to the estates from which they were secured.

St. Louis will Try Out Eckert.

Clyde J. Eckert of Johnsonburg, who pitched for the Charleroi team in the Pa. W. Va. league a time last year, was here for awhile yesterday on a business trip. Eckert is a well known ball player and next year will be tried out by the St. Louis Nationals.

Birthday Gifts

Don't stop to think what you'll give—drop in with an undecided mind. There's case after case filled with tempting suggestions—all so desirable that they'll be a continual pleasant reminder of their donor. There are so many things that would suit both point or desirability and cost, that you'll have ten times as many suggestions as you need.

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LOCAL AGENCIES

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Oct. 27 is American History.

1822—W. A. R. Penn. founder of Penn-
sylvania, landed at Newcastle, on the
Delaware.

1857—White-law field, writer, editor
and diplomat, born near Xenia, O.

1864—Confederate ram Albemarle de-
stroyed in Roanoke river by Lieu-
tenant Cushing's torpedo.

1904—The New York subway electric
road opened to the public.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 4:59, rises 6:22; moon sets
5:48 a. m.; 11:36 p. m., moon at perigee.
nearest earth, distant 222,300 miles;
2 a. m., planet Mercury at greatest
western elongation or apparent dis-
tance from the sun, 18 degrees and
33 minutes; visible for a few days, low
in east before sunrise; 2:40 p. m., moon
in conjunction with Saturn, passing
from west to east of the planet, 14
degrees south thereof; seen near to-
night.

A Good Man to Defeat.

"It will come to the knowledge of
the public with something akin to a
shock that Cryus LaRue Munson,
Democratic nominee for Associate
Justice of the Supreme Court of
Pennsylvania, is actually making a
tour of the State in search of votes,"
says the Pittsburg Gazette Times.

"Mr. Munson is represented by the
leading Democratic newspaper of the
Commonwealth as finding a very
hopeful feeling among Democrats
everywhere. This feeling is pre-
dicted upon the fact (?) that the
farmers in three-fourths of the State
are in distress over the failure of
their crops and listen with impatience
to the arguments of Republicans.

"Mr. Munson ought to know very
well that it is not good form for a
candidate for judiciary honor to make
an active campaign like aspirants for
other public positions do. That kind
of thing may be tolerated in some
counties where the issue is local and
the contest close and bitter, but it is
never admirable and certainly is not
to be countenanced on the part of one
who asks to be elevated to the high-
est court in the State. As if indulg-
ing this questionable form of cam-
paigning were not bad enough however,
what shall be thought of a would be
Supreme Judge who permits such a re-
flection upon the intelligence of the
farmers as quoted above? Mr. Munson
should be admonished by his friends and
newspaper supporters to display better
judgement. It is preposterous to sup-
pose that any farmers would charge
the prolonged dry season of this year
and consequent shortage in crops to
he Republican party, and it is silly
to assume that men of brains and
common sense would make such an in-
dignant basis for shifting party al-
legiance and electing a Democrat to
the Supreme Bench in a State as
largely Republican as Pennsylvania is.

"In all the history of State politics
we have never observed anything so
peculiar as this effort
to attract attention to Mr. Munson's
peculiar claims to distinction."

Turn Out and Vote.

Every voter should make it a mat-
ter of civic pride to turn out next

Tuesday and cast his ballot at the
election for the candidates of his
choice. No privilege is more glorious
to an American citizen than the elec-
torate franchise, and few of the lib-
erals for which there has been so much
bloodshed to attain are less appre-
ciated. The fight for political liberty
that has deluged the world with blood
and is still in progress in the mon-
archical countries was futile so far as
accomplishing results is concerned to a
large proportion of this country.

All the evils of society, the political
corruption, the growth and develop-
ment of the monopolistic trusts, the
gift of public franchises the industrial
oppression that exists anywhere is due
to the indifference of the people and
because the latter did not think
enough of their electorate franchise
to exercise it in the interests of them-
selves, their families and their neigh-
bors. By staying away from elections
they permitted the interested ones to
nominate and elect the officials who
would grant them the franchise and
privileges they desired, and to make
the laws that perpetuate and protect
them at the expense of the people.
High prices, greater cost of living,
increase in the rate of gas—all are
due to the civic indifference of the
people. We sowed the wind by this
indifference and must now reap the
whirlwind.

CharleROI has 1,500 registered voters,
yet less than half of these cast their
ballots on an average unless they are
solicited personally to go to the polls.
What is true here is true everywhere,
and the minority instead of the major-
ity rules. Half of the voters of Char-

leROI voluntarily disfranchise them-
selves and many of them complain be-
cause a minority governs. There is
but one way to remedy this and that
is to vote. The prayers of the right-
eous may avail much, but it is the re-
sult of ballots that levy the taxes,
fixes the price, and spends the money.

Everybody Help.

The Hallowe'en celebration for
CharleROI next Monday night is now
an established fact. The committee
appointed to promote it is now busily
engaged in arranging details and so-
liciting funds, and is meeting with
encouragement on every side. All
that is necessary now is for everybody
to help and enter into the spirit of
the occasion. By every one co-oper-
ating the celebration will mark a red
letter occasion for CharleROI.

No town is so admirably equipped
to draw crowds from outside communi-
ties as CharleROI. The populous com-
munity up the river tributary to the
street car lines will flock to CharleROI
when inducements offer, and special
efforts should be made to attract them
here Monday night. In addition to a
big program of carnival and amuse-
ment the merchants should have some
special bargains to offer. By making
this celebration a marked success Hal-
lowe'en in CharleROI will become as
famous along the river as New Year's
Day in Monongahela.

The Ladies of the M. E. church
will hold their bazaar in the basement
of the church, Thursday, Friday and
Saturday, November 11, 12 and 13.
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That despondency in women is a mental condition often
traceable to some distinctly female ill!

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they irritable and restless. Derangement of the female
organism breeds all kinds of miserable feelings such as back-
ache, headache, and bearing-down feelings. Try Lydia E.
Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. There is no doubt that
it has made many remarkable cures of female ills after all
other means had failed. There is hardly a day that some
woman does not write us that this simple old medicine,
made only of roots and herbs, has cured her of a severe
illness after several doctors had done their best and failed.

Here are two such letters—read them—they are
genuine and reliable.

Baltimore, Md.—"For four years my life was a misery to
me. I had suffered with female troubles so long that I was
discouraged. I had given up all hope of ever being well when
I began to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It
restored my health and I felt as though new life had been
given me, and I am recommending it to all my friends."—
Mrs. W. S. Ford, 1936 Lansdowne St., Baltimore, Md.

Rockland, Me.—"I was troubled for a long time with pains
in my back and side and was miserable in every way. I had
doctored until I was discouraged and thought I would never
get well. I read a testimonial about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vege-
table Compound and thought I would try it.

"After taking three bottles I never was so well in my life.
I am recommending Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound
to all my friends."—Mrs. Will Young, 6 Columbia Avenue,
Rockland, Me.

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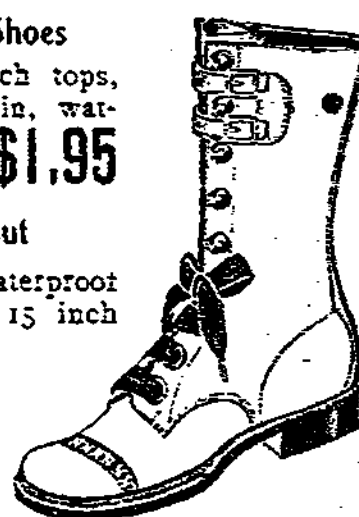
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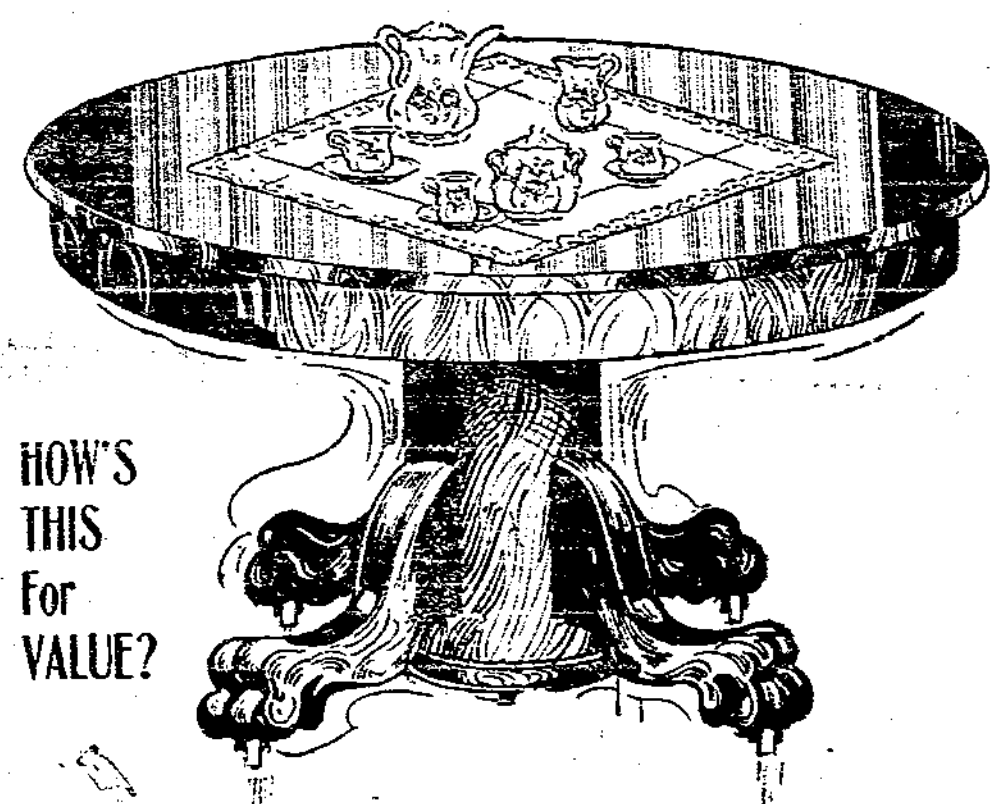
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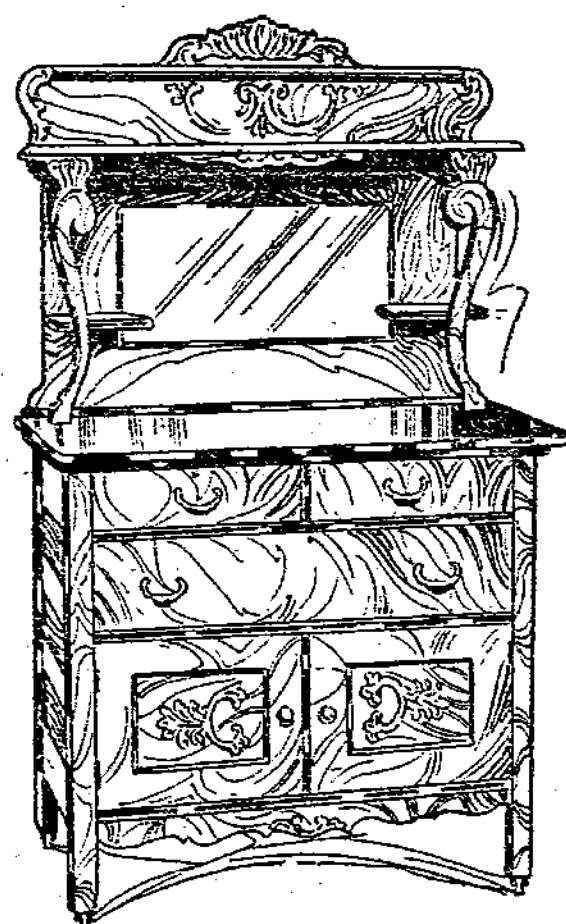


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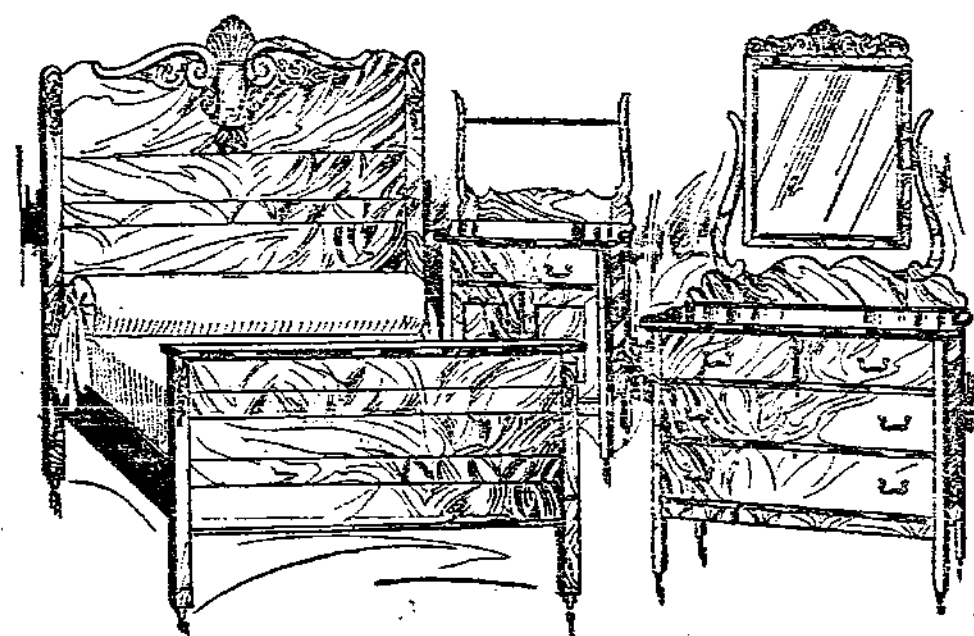
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Accepted Call at Bentleyville.

Rev. J. E. Miller, pastor of the Mt. Prospect Presbyterian church at Hickory, has accepted a call from the Bentleyville Presbyterian church.

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A comedy drama in four acts in Charleroi Turner Hall, Friday evening, October 29, 1909 by the M. T. V. Dramatic section of Monongahela. Tickets twenty-five cents. Doors open at 7:30 performance at 8:15. Tickets on sale at Piper's Drug Store. 5716

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LOCAL NOTES

Brief Mention of People and Events in this Community.

Christopher Brown, superintendent of the Carara department of the Pittsburgh Plate Glass factory, returned last evening from a business trip to Chicago.

R. G. Miller, Esq., chairman of the Republican county committee, was in town over night. Mr. Miller has been looking over the situation along the river and last night met a number of prominent Republicans at the Wilbur. The situation is encouraging. If the voters turn out anything like their old time force.

Attorney A. T. Morgan of Pittsburgh was a business visitor in Charleroi this morning.

L. Collins is transacting business in Pittsburgh today.

W. C. Clark is in Pittsburgh today transacting business.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Dressler of Beaver Falls has returned home after a visit with friends in Charleroi.

V. E. Reeves, George Dawson and Rev. G. G. Kerr went to Waynesburg today in the former's Buick automobile on a business trip.

J. D. Berryman is in Pittsburgh today transacting business.

Misses Lydia and Mabel Barr, who during the summer were guests of their sister, Mrs. Ira L. Nickerson left this morning for their home in Abilene, Illinois.

Audley McFarland of Washington was here yesterday on business. He is working up a newspaper directory of the county.

Frank Jenkins and Miss Lorraine Holyfield were in Pittsburgh yesterday afternoon to attend the vaudeville performance at the Grand theatre.

Robert Beaver, the superintendent of the First Presbyterian Sunday School, has gone to Beaver, where he has accepted a Government position in the postoffice. Mr. Beaver left on Saturday and the family on Monday. He was well known here as a church worker and besides being superintendent of the Sunday school was also an elder in the church.

The annual rummage sale by the ladies of the First Presbyterian church will begin tomorrow and will continue for three days. It will be held in the Flickinger building at 521 McKean Avenue.

All boys between 4 feet 6 inches and 5 feet 11 inches in height wishing to join the new boy's brigade are requested to meet at Vetter's tailor shop on McKean Avenue at 7:30 p. m. Friday night. 6011

State Police Busy.

The members of the State constabulary who are patrolling from the borough line of Washington to Meadowslands gathered in five drunks from Saturday night to Monday morning. Three who had money paid fine and the others served time in jail.

Notice.

I beg to notify my patrons that I have removed from 911 Shady Avenue to 17 Oskland Avenue and I am prepared to promptly fill all orders received for coal. Both 'phones. W. B. Tait. 6013

Will Dedicate Sunday.

The new Roman Catholic church at Point Marion is to be dedicated Sunday and a great gathering of Catholics is expected to witness the ceremonies.

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FOR SALE—Four roomed house and two lots. City and eastern water. On Highland Avenue. Inquire Roy Dick, North Charleroi, Charleroi 'phone, 281-Y. 5813

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